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Hi Brenda and Burt

I'm attaching a commentary on the draft as a Word document, along with some other files referenced in the response. This is probably the most humorless, turgid prose I've written in quite a while, for which I apologize.

Could you send over the sample site map and the appendices, when you get a chance? I went ahead and made some sampling comments, though. But I can make some suggestions about the sediment sample sites, including letting the sampler know about some of the quicksand (quickmud?) spots we've inadvertently found. A lone sampler can get into difficulties in the mud out there.

I've added a couple of hints on dealing with setters, in case the lab people have only had the joy of working with recent hatchees through D-hinge swimmers.

Thanks

Bill Robertson